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In the Office Action dated February 28, 2003, claims 6-8 and 11-13 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Tanizaki et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,982,255) in view of Kii et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,437,663); and claims 9, 10, 14, and 15 were rejected under 35 U.S.C. § 103(a) as being unpatentable over Tanizaki et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,982,255) in view of Fujimaru et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,246,898) in view of Kii et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,437,663). The present application and Kii et al. (U.S. Patent No. 6,437,663) were, at the time the invention of the present application was made, either owned by, or subject to an obligation of assignment to Kyocera Corporation.

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

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In response to the Office Action dated February 28, 2003, please amend the  
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Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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